

High School to College and Career Pathway: Secondary

Area of Study: Skilled & Technical Sciences Education



Pathway: Precision Production Trades Drafting/CAD

Middle School		State Requirements			High School Suggested Education Plan				College & Careers
7 th Grade	8 th Grade	Middle School		High School	9 th Grade Suggested	10 th Grade Suggested	11 th Grade Suggested	12 th Grade Suggested	Beyond High School
Language Arts 7 1.00	Language Arts 8 1.00	2.00	Language Arts	3.00	Language Arts 9 1.00	Language Arts 10 1.00	Language Arts 11 1.00	(1 additional credit -- class of 2011)	There are a number of options for education and training beyond high school, depending on your career goals. > Certificate > Associate degree > Bachelor degree > Professional degree > On-the-job training > Apprenticeship > Military training
Pre-Algebra 1.00	Elm. Algebra or Applied Math 1.00	2.00	Math	2.00	Geometry or Applied Math II 1.00	Intermediate Algebra 1.00	(1 additional credit -- class of 2011)		
Science .50	Science 1.00	1.50	Science	2.00	Earth Systems 1.00	Physics 1.00 or Physics with Technology 1.00	(1 additional credit -- class of 2011)		
Utah Studies .50	U.S. History I 1.00	1.50	Social Studies	2.50	World Civilizations .50	Geography for Life .50	U.S. History II 1.00	U.S. Government and Citizenship .50	
P.E. 1.00	Health .50	1.50	P.E./Health	2.00	Participation Skills and Techniques .50	Fitness for Life. 50 / Health Education .50 Lifetime Activities or Sport .50			
The Arts .50	The Arts .50	1.00	Fine Arts	1.50	Fine Arts Courses 1.50				
			Financial Literacy	.50			Financial Literacy .50		
			Computer Tech.	.50	Computer Technology .50				
CTE Intro 1.00		1.00	Career and Technical Education	1.00	Career and Technical Education Recommended Pathway Courses (Students may select individual courses for exploration, or complete pathway for an in-depth focus.) CLASS AVAILABILITY MAY VARY AT YOUR HIGH SCHOOL			2.00 credits 1.00 credit 3.00 credits for completion	
Workforce Trends Industrial growth and increasingly complex designs will spur growth in drafting services. As technology advances, opportunities will be best for drafters with at least 2 years of post-secondary training, and computer-aided design systems experience. Get the Facts In today's technologically advanced business world, drafters must have excellent drawing and graphic skills along with a high level of computer skills.		Core Curriculum and elective requirements may vary district to district. Check with your school counselor. Concurrent enrollment course offerings vary by school and district.							
		In Utah, an architect and a landscape architect must be licensed.							

Sample Occupations

- > Architectural Drafter
- > Civil Engineer
- > Computer-Aided Drafter
- > Interior Designer
- > Landscape Designer
- > Mechanical Drafter
- > Surveyor
- > Urban Planner

For more information on salary projections, labor market demand, and training options, visit www.careers.utah.gov

Note: For more information talk to your school counselor.